

NEUTRALITY SHIP BASED AT ASTORIA

ASTORIA, Ore., Dec. 21 (AP)—The light mine layer U. S. S. Breeze with a complement of 104 men and six officers arrived here yesterday to establish a neutrality patrol.

mine layer-destroyer was under Commander W. J. Longfellow. It will observe movements of any war craft of belligerent nations within the patrol area.

DRINKING FREQUENCY SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21 (UP)—The average San Franciscan goes to a bar buys a drink

every two and a half days, a survey by the Tavern Owners association of California showed today. That drinking frequency will just comfortably support the city's 1338 saloons, the report found.

Turtles 12 feet long once lived in Kansas.

ASTORIA SENDS FUND TO FINLAND

ASTORIA, Dec. 21 (AP)—G. A. Heilberg, Astoria Finnish relief campaign director, said today \$4450 had been cabled direct to Helsinki, Finland. The money was contributed by

the Astoria area residents of whom nearly 5000 are Finnish.

HIGH-FLIER AT 60

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP)—Sixty-year-old Adam Beehier is flying high these days — above the ground.

At an age when men begin to slow up and take things easy,

Beehier, a cabinet maker, got eight hours of training at the controls of an airplane and soloed—the oldest person ever to do that here.

The common sign of greeting employed by Gulf of Mexico Indians on meeting friends is to blow into one another's ears.

FALSE ALARM

ABILENE, Tex. (AP)—"I just saw a man kidnaped," a woman screamed over the phone to the police desk sergeant.

She said she saw two men put another in the baggage compartment of a coupe.

Capt. Harry Hutchison of the highway patrol found the car.

He saw two men let a third out the back.

"I was trying to locate some body squeaks," the "victim," a mechanic, explained.

Theft of 60 canaries has been reported by a California woman. Police are rounding up all the grant cats in the neighborhood.

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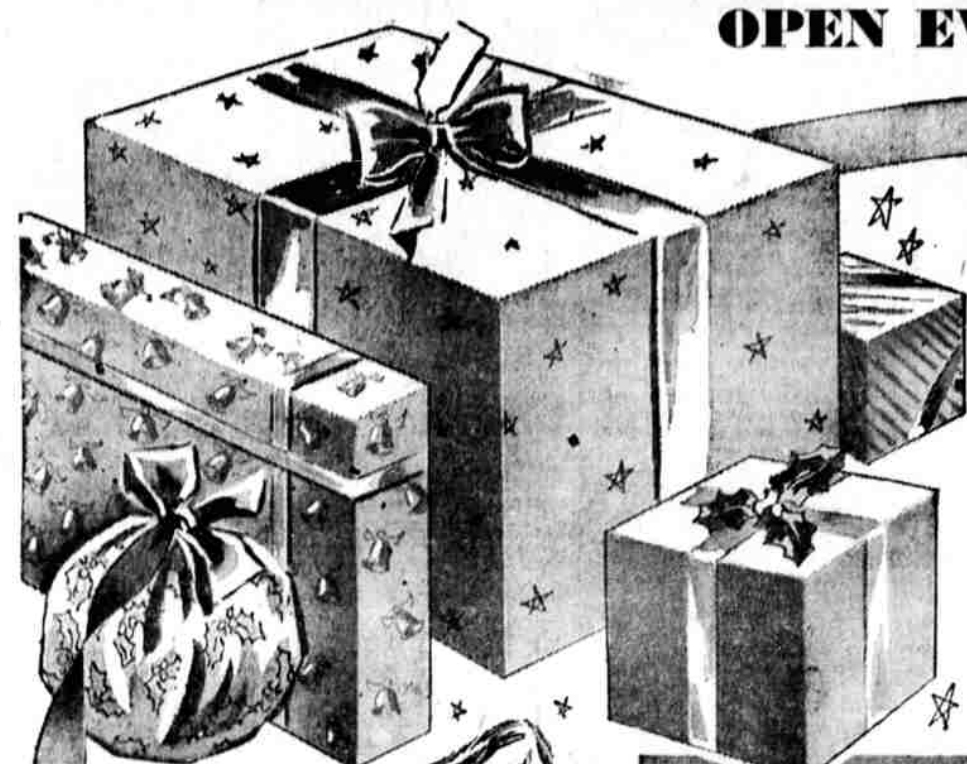
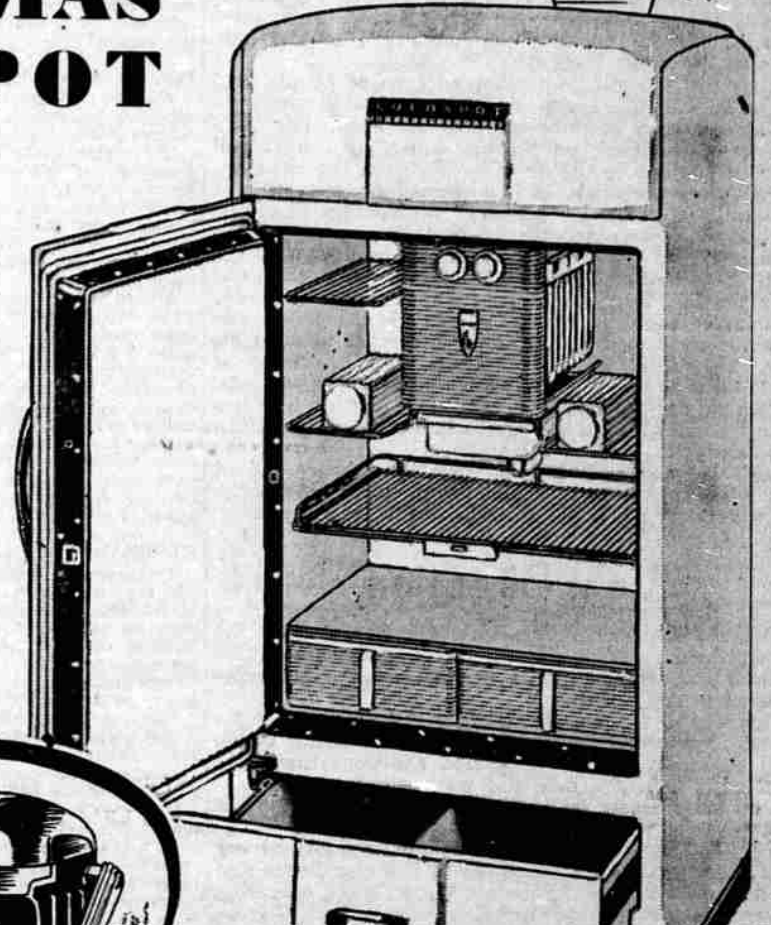
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- Waffle Iron . . . Challenge 7-inch grids. 3.49
- Coffee Maker . . . 8-cup glass, electric plate. 2.59

PRESSURE COOKER

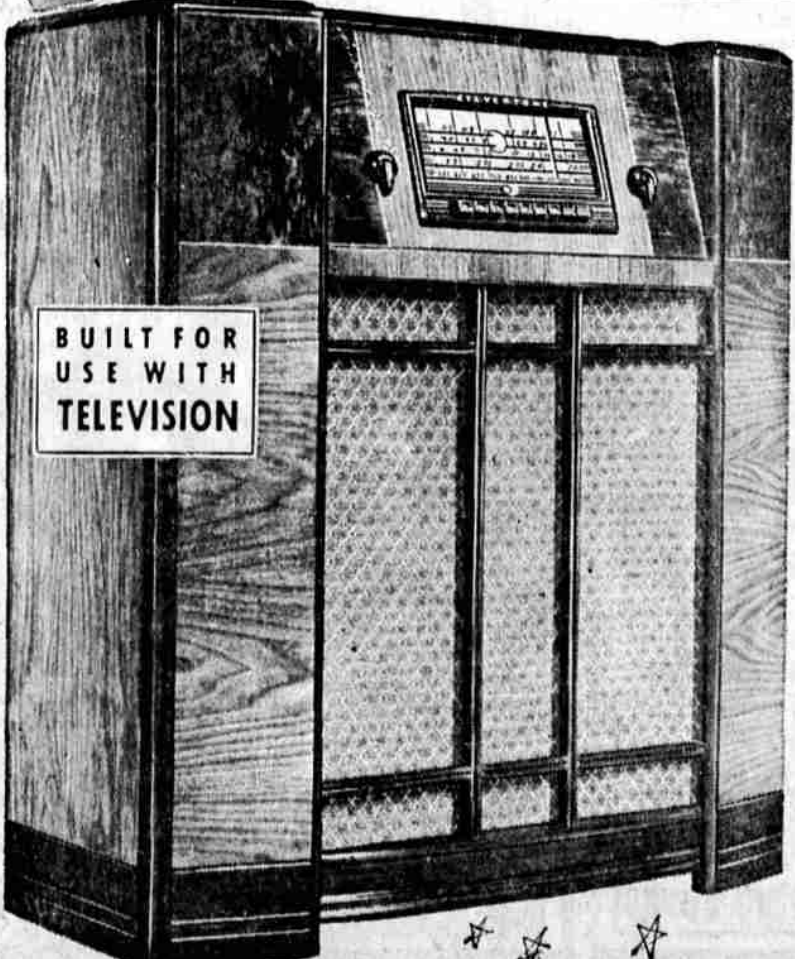
Sears Kook Kwick 12.95

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